# RETIRED? STAY IN UNISON

As a UNISON member you benefited from the essential cover that membership of the union gave you. Now that you've retired you can still have access to our range of benefits and deals and play an active part in your union by becoming a retired member.

It costs just £15 to become a retired member. This one off payment means you can:

- participate in UNISON's democracy
- have a voice on issues that matter to you
- benefit from a wide range of exclusive member discounts that can save you and your family money when you are shopping, buying insurance or looking for a holiday.

You qualify to become a retired member if you were a UNISON member continuously for at least two years on the day you retired.





# Sign up today and stay involved

Simply complete the form below and post it to your branch, regional office or the freepost address on the back page

1 Tell us about you	
Title	First name
Surname/family name	Date of birth
Home address	
	Postcode
email	
Phone number (please indicate if ho	ome, work or mobile) National insurance number
Please give your ethnic origin: (tick  ☐ Bangladeshi ☐ Pakistani ☐ Chinese ☐ Asian UK ☐ Indian ☐ Asian othe	☐ Black African ☐ Black UK ☐ White UK ☐ Black ☐ Black other ☐ Irish
2 Tell us about you	ırself
Previous job or sector you worked	in
Branch roles	
Membership number	
Were you a UNISON rep?	

## **3** Choose your branch

Date

As a retired member you can choose which UNISON branch you wish to belong to. You can either stay in your current branch or choose to belong to a branch nearer to where you live.

Please till in the section below
I wish to remain a member of my current branch
Branch name
I wish to belong to a different branch
Name of branch you wish to join
4 Payment
Please enclose a cheque (made payable to the branch you are intending to join – see section 3 above) with this form.
5 Authorisation
I wish to become a retired member of UNISON and accept its rules and constitution.  I confirm that I am eligible for retired membership in accordance with Rule C2.6.1
Signature

If you need more information on UNISON and the retired members' organisation or you would like help filling in this form please call UNISON free on **0800 0 857 857** 

# **YOUR VOICE IS HEARD**

UNISON has a dynamic and vibrant retired members' section. A national retired members' committee meets regularly to discuss the issues that matter to you – this gives you a voice at the heart of the union and ensures that your views are heard at our national and retired members' conferences.

We value your experience. Our retired members attend branch meetings and often mentor new branch officials and reps, as well as getting involved in local and national campaigns.

You are the link between the employed and retired and that solidarity between generations is so important to everyone. The NHS, the provision of a decent income in older age and a fair society all matter to every UNISON member, regardless of age.

UNISON works with other pensioner organisations in the UK and across the world which gives you plenty of opportunities to campaign on issues that are important to you.

### Join today

Simply fill in this form, attach your cheque and send it to your branch, your regional office or to the freepost address below;

Freepost RSKU-RRCA-HHSJ UNISON UNISON Centre 130 Euston Road LONDON NW1 2AY



# Three simple ways to join UNISON today:





